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MISSING MAYOR.

son, N. J., has not been located, and no Meanwhile allegations are being guardedly made in a scorce of quarters that connect his name with forgeries and defal-

State Bank Examiner Joseph R. Conklin arrived in Paterson yesterday, and at once began an investigation of the paper held by the banks and trust companies of that city on which money was loaned to Belcher or to his interests. It is stated that the amount of money involved in the transactions already reaches

None of the banks or trust companies None of the banks or trust companies that have loaned money to Belcher has yet been reimbursed. They are still in possesion of the building and loan pass books and mortgages which were given as collateral. Friends of Belcher have gone to the bankers and have said that as soon as the Mayor appears they will aid him to make good any som up to \$100,000 that may be demanded. Belcher is unqualifiedly charged with misappropriating \$18,000. Heisalso al-

leged to have handled mortgages which appear to be forged, and to have received upward of \$15,000 from small inves-tors, which amounts have been supposedly loaned on questionable mortgages.

John J. Sister, clerk of courts, yesterday charged that the receiving stamp used in the county clerk's office had been forged on at least two mortgages which had been executed on forms used by Belcher and on which his name was regularly printed. The signature of A.
D. Winfield, who was the county clerk,
was, he said, forged.
Prosecutor Emley, who is making the

investigation to ascertain the amount of Mayor Belcher's alleged peculations, says that they will amount to fully \$75,-

Intimate friends of Mayor William H. Belcher are convinced that he is on his way to California, where he has a brother, Peter Belcher.

The prevailing belief now, however, is that Belcher will never return to Paterson and that his body is likely to be found in the mountains in the neighbor-

hood of his home in Midvale.

There is practically no head to the Paterson government at present. Under the city charter there can be no acting mayor to sign pay warrants and other documents until 10 days shall have elapsed from the time the mayor abandoned his post of duty.

Prevention of Yellow Fever.

are caused by Indigestion. If you eat a little too much, or if you are subject to attacks of Indigestion, you have no doubt had shortness of breath, rapid heart beats, heartburn or palpitation of the heart. Indigestion causes the stomach to expand—swell, and puff up against the heart. This crowds the heart and interplacement of the mosquito as the only means of preventing its spread. "No mosquitoes, no vellow fever," is the motto announceno vellow tever," is the mot ed in big black letters at the top of the The document continues as follows

"The infection of yellow fever is carried by mosquitoes, and by no other means is the infection spread. Persons take the disease by being bitten by mosquitoes that have previously bitten a yellowfever patient. The mosquitoes, to become infected, must bite a yellow-fever patient during the first three days of his attack. These first three days, therefore, are the most important time for preventing the access of mosquitoes to a ever patient. It is often difficult to decide during the first three days whether a patient has yellow fever, hence the necessity in threatened communities of placing a mosquito bar immediately around every patient who has fever of any kind, and for three days at least."

The necessity of drainage and screening is dwelt upon with much emphasis.

Sultan Opposes Conference. Information from Fez reaching official parters show that the Sultan of Morocco, who first proposed an international conference, now fears that discussion among the powers will result in the dis memberment of his empire. He, therefore, called an assembly of chieftains. who-formally decided that outside interference in Moroccan affairs was not necessary. The Sultan has since shown opposition to the holding of a con-

The State Department having been invited by a foreign power, which is understood to be Germany, to indicate a preference for the meeting-place for the international conference which is to deal with the reform of Moroccan affairs, acting Secretary Adee has made answer that this government is perfectly willing to send its representatives to any one of the places which has been mentioned as proper upon which the powers more directly interested can agree. So far nothing has been received here officially indicating an abandon-ment of the projected conference.

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The prompt results produced by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy together with its pleasant taste have won for it a place in many households. Mr. W. T. Taylor, a merchant of Winslow, Ala., writes: "I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoes Remedy and Jaw, with men rhoea Remedy myself and also with men on my place, for diarrhoes and colic and it always gives relief promptly and pleas-antly." For sale by Gibson and Tim-berman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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